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1. The Zakłady Urządzeń Metalowych (Metal Works) in Radom (N 51-25, E21-09) are turning out rifles and pistols. The production of pistols is less than the rifle production. This factory formerly produced the "Visy" pistol. This plant has been modernized and is constantly expanding. There was a complete change in the factory's staff in recent months and there are Russians in the factory administration.
2. The Grozowice cement factory in Opole² (N50-40, E17057) has a special secret laboratory. The former director of this laboratory was designated Minister of the Ministry of Building Materials (Ministerstwo Materiałów Budowlanych). This individual developed a new type of quick-drying cement which is to be used for military purposes. This new cement is being produced in one section of the factory.³
3. At the old Modlin fortress (N52-26, E20-41) a course in aviation theory is being given. This fortress has been taken over by the air force and there is no longer an infantry garrison stationed there. This air force school is staffed with numerous Russian officers.

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Comments:

1. Since other information received by this office reports this factory as producing rocket pistols this might possibly be the Very pistol, a flare gun.
2. This factory was previously reported as located in the town of Grozowice (Groschowitz-P 51/ J 27) about 3.5 kilometers south-southeast of Opole (Oppeln).

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